

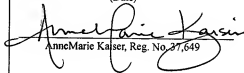
## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Jessouroun, Ellen, et al.  
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CONJUGATE VACCINES  
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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 1, 2008, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.